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MINE MEETING GRAND SUCCESS

Second Annual State Ass'n Meeting Enthusiastic Affair

Nearly one hundred delegates attended the second annual meeting of the Mining Association of California, and first Mining Congress held at the Travelers Hotel, in Sacramento last Saturday. The meeting opened at 10 o'clock A. M. and was presided over by J. C. Kemp Van Fe, Jr., of San Francisco, Calif., President of the Association, C. S. Brooks of Sacramento, officiating as Secretary.

Shortly after opening the meeting the President requestd Charles L. Gilmore of Sacramento to preside.

Walter W. Bradley of San Francisco, State Mineralogist, addressed the meeting and explained the work of his department on the topographical maps, and new geological survey of California now under way in his department in conjunction with corresponding U. S. engineers.

The chairman of the ten chapters of the association, representing 18 counties, were called upon for reports from their respective chapters.

A committee to nominate twelve directors to succeed the same number of outgoing dirctors, was appointed as follows:

Fred W. Bunyan, Sacramento; R. L. Kimmel, Modesto; Joe King, San Andreas; George Young, San Francisco.

Later in the day, they reported 12 names, which were approved by the meeting. Including two holdovers, and the Chapter Chairman, who are ex-officio directors, the Board of Directors now comprises the following: J. C. Kemp Van Eee, Eee, Jr.; F. F. Behneman, Fletcher Hamilton, Lloyd L. Root, all of San Francisco; Roscoe J. Anderson and George Gronwoldt, both of Redding; Fred W. Bunyan and W. F. Coxmley, both of Sacramento; L. D. Hopfield, Natoma, Sacramento Co.; Errol MacBoyle, Grass Valley; Arthur W. Hoge, Nevada City; O. A. McCreaney, Nevada City; C. M. Salyer, Salyer, Trinity County; W. A. Hunter, Plumas County; H. E. Dillinger and E A. Green, both of Placerville; James D. Stewart, Auburn; Albion S. Howe, Sutter Creek; W. H. Clary, San Andreas; Mathew Hamilton, Stockton, J. W. Warford, Mariposa; R. L. Gilmore, Bakersfield; Walter Gordon Clark and B. M. Snyder, Los Angeles.

At a later meeting to be held probably in January, these directors will choose four additional directors at large, two of them replacing two holdovers in above list. The officers will be chosen at the same time.

Resolutions were read in full and and adopted by the meeting, providing in substance as follows:

Request increase to $110,0000 in the item allotted to the State Engineer's office for "topographic mapping" for the coming biennium.

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IDAHO MINES GO ON CURTAILED SCHEDULE

Two of the leading silver-lead-zinc producing properties of the Coeur d'Alene district went on a curtailed schedule last week. This is done, on account of the weakened condition of the ore market and and also for the purpose of avoiding reduction of forces. The mines states that they have either to reduce working days or their force of miners and during the prevailing depression in metal prices and unusual hard times they have decided to keep their entire working force but will close down everything two days a week. H. C. Washburn, manager of the Federal Mining and Smelting Company, who operate the Morning Star and the Page mines, said that commencing next week all mines, mills, smelter, and surface works of all kinds will be closed down on Saturdays and Sundays reducing the output approximately 20 per cent.

The Hecla Mining Company has also adopted this schedule. By this means the working forces at the mines, mills and smelters will be retained and their organizations will be unaffected.

LOCAL ENGINEER BONDS OLD PROVEN PROPERTY

Fred M. Miller, mining engineer of Grass Valley, closed a deal last week wherein he came into possession through a lease of 200 acres of well known and well proven old mining lode ground located in this district. One hundred acres covered by the lease consists of patented claims.

The lode claims contain the Tribute, or Black Ledge, Hudson Bay, New Rocky Bar and Irish-American vein systems apexing in a net work of cross veins at the surface and parallel veins intersecting on their dip with depth beneath the ground.

The most noted, both geologically and in the records of high production from exceptionally rich ores are from shallow depth of workings in the 'Hogsback" vein and it was from this vein that some $300,000 or more was taken in the late '70s or early '80s at a depth of not over 180 feet.

These tracts of land and thein several vein systems are probably the most extensive area and the most promising group of gold bearing quartz veins of the famous North Star mines, still remaining unexploren. They are situated just west and but a few hundred feet distant from the North Star.

From the New Rocky Bar workings in 1879 and 1880 many large specimens of high value were found, one piece weighing 250 pounds and yielding $6,000 in gold which was the equivalent of $46,000 to the ton of ore.

The exceedingly richness of this vein territory was the small area that was known as the Ford-McDonald and Mullen group in which it is said in October, 1880, "there had been sufficient development in this claim to prove it the richest spot of ground in California and no piece of quartz ground ever yielded as much gold to the same space of territory and there is no indications that this rich deposit of ore has ever been worked out.

Just what Mr. Miller's intentions are in regard to developing this property we do not know at this time, but have no doubt but that it will lead up to the opening up of this valuable old property in the course of time.

FAMOUS OLD VIRGINIA TO BE OPERATED AGAIN

Report is current that the once famous old Virginia mine in the vicinity of Coulerville has been taken over by a group of Nevada capitalists who are planning to put the old producer on her feet once more. It is said that work will be commenced in the near future.

The Virginia has been operated from time to time for the past sixey years and is renowned for its production. In the olden days several fortunes were taken from its depths.

The property was closed down about two years ago but has been kept in good shape and the main shaft has been kept dry.

BUNKER HILL—SULLIVAN REPORTS FOR OCTOBER

The Bunker Hill & Sullivan Mining and Concentration Company reports an operating inlome of $187,620 for the month of Ohtober, compared with $291,419 in September, and an operating income for the ten months ending October 31 of $2,180,954.

Common dividends paid to date in the current year now aggregating $1,716,750 and preferred dividends of $65,940. Since its organization the company has paid a total of $47,891,242 in common and preferred dividends.

Effective with the regular monthly dvidend of 25 cents, payable January 6, 1931, the company will discontinue the extra 25 cents payment on dividends which it paid during the current year. Discontinuance of this extra is due to the heavy increase in the stocks of lead by this and other companies, and an effort will be made to decrease these inventories before further extras are distributed.

RIVER PLACERS LIMITED, IS THE MOST UNIQUE MINE IN THE STATE

Success Attends Daring Effort to Work Rich Pay Channel Far Below Waters of Middle Yuba River—Scheme Meets with Success

Probably one of the most unique and we might say daring, mining ventures being carried on in this state is that of the River Placers Ltd., located on the Middle fork of the Yuba river about two miles below the foot bridge on the old Hastings and Poorman property.

This property was leased from the Hastings and Poorman people by the River Placers Limited, a California corporation. The lease runs for a period of eight years.

This company conceived the scheme of sinking a shaft down to the lower channel below bead rock of the river and then driving a crosscut or drift across under the flow of the Yuba and tapping the old pay channel that they had every reason to believe was hiddn there. So far their scheme has worked admirably and they now have every evidence of actually tapping the old bonanza pay channel that farther up and down the Yuba yielded many millions to placer miners in the olden days. While in the city last week, Mr. L. A. Smith, general manager and who has actual charge of development work at the mine, gave us the following short account of their operations:

"Actual work," said Mr. Smith, "was began in June and has been prosecuted as rapidly as possible since that time. At present we have ten men working steadily on the property..

Development up to date consists of a vertical shaft which is down 40 feet to beadrock. The beadrock lies some thirty feet under the level of the waters of the Yuba river. The channel has been reached at 80 feet from the shaft and is four feet lower than the bottom of the of the main shaft. At present the company is taking up bead rock in order to get drainage from this channel and will probably be ready to open the channel bottom in a week or ten days from now. Coarse, reddish gold has been found in encouraging quantities on the bed rock and in drive point samples taken in the channel.

The unusual feature of this development is the fact that drift mining beneath the bed of the river can be done at all and this is in all probability the only mine in the west that is attempting and succeeding in doing this.

The company owes its success in being able to get to bed rock and in handling the water to the fact that portions of the Middle Yuba river is a geological freak. This freak in formation was taken advantage of and made the work possible.

Briefly, this unusual formation consists of a thick bed of black compacted silted clay wich underlies the river channel from bank to bank and for a distance of about two miles along the stream. This bed of clay is 28 feet thick where the company's main shaft went through it and is impevrous to water. Above this clay strata the present river plows its way through sand bars and boulders laying on top of the clay. Beneath this bed of clay lies the old channel filled with old boulders and gravel, ranging in depth from a few inches to ten feet in the deepest part of the channel so far encountered.

When the main shaft first tapped this strata, the water rose very rapidly in the shaft under a tremendous pressure similar to that of an artisian well flow to a point some two feet higher than the adjacent river flow. A large pumping plant was installed and in time the water was controlled as the flow under pressure gradually subsided as the gravel beds beneath the clay were drained. At this time, the workings are not making enough water for sluicing purposes.

It is interesting to learn the method used by nature to form this bed of clay in a fast flowing mountain river. About a mile and a half down stream from the company's holdings a huge land slide once upon a time in the long ages past occurred—a thousand or more years ago. This great land slide completely damed the Middle Channel of the river and caused a large lake to form above it The mud, or clay, from the glacial regions above came down and were deposited in the bottom of this lake and built up slowly, layer by layer and year by year until it reached its present thickness of 28 feet. In the company's shaft these layers can be readily counted and from this an estimate can easily be formed as to how long this ancient lake existed and we have figured it out and believe we are correct in making it an average of about 900 years. This is the figures given by three prominent engineers.

This clay bed completely buried the old pay gravels and prevented the old timers from working them and hence have been left for modern miners and modern methods to come at their hidden riches. The sands of the Yuba river were very rich in gold just below this old dam across the river and for many years old time placer miners reaped a rich reward from the bars running into the millions of dollars. This was especially true at the point on the river called Frenchman's bar where more than $870,000 in raw gold was extracted by the old fashioned sluice and rocker. in 1852 and 1853. The river above this point was also very rich as was Indian Creek, Kanaka, Bloody Run and other tributary streams emptying into the Middle Yuba above our holdings.

The River Placer Co. Ltd., holdings consists of 90 acres of patented river bed claims running lengthwise of the river for approximately a distance of three miles from the Foot Bridge Crossing down stream. The owners from whom the company hold an eigt year lease have proven the property to some extent as in 1897 they diverted the river by the use of a wing dam early in the spring time and sunk a shaft in the stream bed. They had considerable trouble with surface water but in the course of time reached bed rock. Delays caused by their having to drift for the channel took them away into the fall before the channel was finally reached. They then took over $20,000 in coarse gold out in just nine working shifts when a freshet obliterated their diversion dam and the river flowed back into its bed and destroyed their workings.

The River Placers Company have their shaft located high above high water stage and will work the year round as river diversion and wing daming not being necessary—thanks to the clay bed that not only preserved this channel from ye old timer but makes it possible for the present operators to drift mine it without the expense and uncertainty incident to the river diversion methods.

FATAL ACCIDENT ON HIGHWAY THURSDAY

A fatal accident occurred early Thursday afternoon on the highway half way between Grass Valley and Rough and Rready which cost the life of Ace Whitney. He was accompanied by Virgil Giani. They were passing another auto which was headed towards Grass Valley when the accident occurred near the Fred Bitney place. The car, which Whitney was driving, skidded off the road hitting a barb wire fence. Whitney was killed instantly, but his companon escaped wthout injury.

PIONEER OF MOORE'S FLAT PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Ella Vizzard, widow of the late Joseph H. Vizzard, died in San Francisco last Sunday evening.

She was stopping with her daugter in San Francisco when the end came.

She leaves to mourn her loss: Misses Nellie and Mary Vizzard and Mrs. Lillian Kinsley; Edward, Robert and Albert Vizzard of San Francisco and William Vizzard of Moore's Flat and a number of grand children.

The funeral was held Tuesday aftesrnoon and interment was made in the Bay City.

GOOD PROGRESS BEING MADE AT SKI CLUB

Work on the ski course is being rushed to completion in order that it may be ready for the competitive meet of the California State Ski Association on January 8.

There were about a score of men working on the course last Sunday and considerable work was accomplished but there remains a good deal of work to be done on the professional ski course in order to put it in first class condition. Volunteer work will be resumed next Sunday and it is hoped a large number of men and boys will turn out with their axes and other necessary implements in order that the work may be completed on that day.

The next work on hand will be to put the barn in shape as a warming shed. A coat of whitewash will be given to the old building and general repairs made. Windows will be placed in the building for lighting facilities.

The work of putting the course in shape has required a large amount of money and more money will be needed to complete the work started.

The beautiful spot on which the course is located is an ideal one and will attract many out of town visitors to Nevada City.

CHROME MAY BRING BACK BOOM MINING DAYS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8,—Olden days of the gold rush for the state of California may return once more is the opinion of A. H. Wild, mining expert, visiting this city.

"This return of the old mining days will be more decorus and sedate but none the less as valuable to the state at large. This will result from the opening up of the vast deposits of chrome to be found in the state. An alloy of chrome metal with iron produces a fine, rustless steel and the demand for this product is increasing by laps and bounds. We venture the prediction that within a very few years the annual production of chrome in this state will be not less than $70,000,000 per year.

COMMUNITY TREE ON THURSDAY EVENING

The "White Xmas" Community Tree which was inaugerated a year ago by the Women's Civic Improvement Club of Nevada City will be repeated this year. The club women head the list of donations with $10.

'All Clubs and Faternal organizations are being asked to donate towards this fund and the committee is meeting with a ready response. School children who are able are ask-ed to give food either in pounds or in cans. Outgrown clothes, which are clean and wearable are also acceptable. All the packages are to be wrapped in white paper and labled as to contents. They will be placed under the Community Tree and later distributed to the needy families.

The Community Tree will be held Thursday evening December 18 at 7 P. M. The tree is already in place in the vacant lot between the Nevada City Cleaners and the Alpha.

"Let us give Christmas cheer to all", is the slogan used by the Womens Civic Improvement Club as a Seasons Greeting. Donations will be received at the office of the Morning Union and at the Nugget offcice.

LOCAL COUPLE RECENTLY MARRIED

Notice has been received of the rerent marriage of Mr. Charles Harrold Parr to Miss Marguerite Camenzind, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Camenzind of Sacramento. Mrs. Pass is employed by the state and received her education at St. Joseph's Academy in Sacramento.

The groom is a son of Mrs. Charles Parr of Grass Valley, the owner of the Atlanta mine on the South fork of the Yuba river and is a member of an old and highly respected pioneer family.

The contracting couple are well known and highly respected by a large circle of friends in both Grass Valley and Nevada City.

They will be at home at 519 Grass Valley.

MINING BOOM IS COMING BACK

Boom Days of California Gold Mining Due to Return This Spring

Ray D. Harris, (says the Los Angeles Times) who has been actively identified with Los Angeles stock and bond circles for more than ten years, has just returned from a three weeks' tour of inspection of the mother lode mining districts in Tuolume, Calveras and Amador counties.

He reports the mining activity thre, both in lode and placer properties is undergoing a remarkable revival with Los Angeles and Southern California capital playing a conspicuous part in the new era of development.

"As in the days of Civil War strife when they poured forth their treasure and contributed in no small way to the preservation of the Union, the Mother Lode of California seemes destined to help materially in relieving the present shortage of gold," says Mr. Harris.

In a tour of the various camps in Tuolumne, Calveras and Amador counties my observations amazed me so great are the activities, particularly in Amador county and Calvares countys. I found that capital from all parts of the nation, but especially from Los Angeles and San Francisco is taking hold of both the old and the new lode and placer properties and that is not all, they are obtaining remarkably good results in most instances. The mine and claim owners are doing their bit to help the situation by turning over their properties on very attractive terms to incoming capital.

"Jackson, in Amador county is a particularly active center of operations. There are located the famous Argonaut and Kennedy mines. While it is not generally known, the Argonaut mine is controlled by interests closely affiliated with one of the big automobile industries.

"At a depth of 5,800 feet on the dip of the vein, or a vertical depth of around 4,200 feet, the Argonaut is opening up an ore body running better than $25 a ton for over fifty feet, and with only one wall of the vein exposed. The real magnitude of the discovery is yet to be determined.

"At similar depth the Kennedy is obtaining excellent results. Both companies are operating their mills at capacity and profits are repidly piling up. Due particularly to these ore disclosures at great depth other properties not only at Jackson but for miles north and south are sinking or preparing to do so.

"Among the properties I visited in which Los Angeles men are heavily interested is the Boundary Cone Consolidated at Mokelume Hill. This company has done a great deal of development work on its placer property and the condition I found prevailing there indicate that it should

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MINING MAN SUED BY HIS CREDITORS

The Hanson-Rickle Gold Reclaiming Machine Company, who set up operations over near Colfax some time ago, have gotten into difficulties and litigation is said to have resulted. In speaking of the matter the Colfax Record says: "J. E. Hanson, W. C. Rickle and the Columbia Steel Tank Company are the defendants in suits filed recently by J. B. McCleary and Arthur Bosna in which C. Arrigi and H. D. Pounds are also interested.

Hanson, who was here to introduce the Hanson-Rickle Gold Reclaiming Machine got into debt while here and then left without liquidating. He left the machine here and also a truck. These have been attached.

The Bisna suit is for $299.99 the limit in a justices court. of this sum $206 is a labor claim of Bosna, $43.99 is a claim of C. Arrighi and $50 is due H. D. Pounds, according to the papers filed. Pohnfs and Arrghi as signed their claims to Bosna. The McCleary suit is for $52.50 for labor.

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IS OUR GOLD RESERVE INADEQUATE?

There are gold mines which have produced millions in the past fifty years that are just as rich and will produce millions more from deep working for many years to come. Perhaps the world's most consistent producers of gold is now to be found in these old partly worked out mines that are only awaiting means and muscle to yield again their streams of the yellow metal.

There are mines in California, in Australia and in South America which produce their hundreds of thousands and even millions of gold annually, though at a constantly rising cost of production. There may be, of course, new mines like the Homestake, for instance, that may be discovered, but it takes more than a single mine or a single group of mines to start a gold rush or make any material increase in the world's visible gold supply. Only the discovery of a new gold field, covering perhaps hundreds of miles of territory as the great gold fields of history have done would be an important factor in the gold situation of today.

There are enormous supplies of gold which geologists have discovered, but which are unavailable because chemistry has not as yet found a way of separating the gold from the other elements with which it is combined.

There are immense deposits of finely pulverized gold in the sands of the Adirondack Forest reserve in New York state that actually runs $40 to the square yard but no way has yet been found with which to gather and save these values.

One advantage of gold production over the production of any of the other metals is that there is never any fluctuation in the market price of the product. An ounce of gold is $20 and $20 is an ounce of gold for gold is money and money is gold. So that while there is considerable risk in mining copper, let us say, at a cost of $24 a ton to get a return of $25 worth of copper there is no risk at all in spending $24 to get a return of $25 worth of gold. Copper, worht today $25 may be worth tomorrow only $18, but gold worth $25 today will be worth $25 next year or ten years from now or one hundred years hence as the case may be.

Economists are very much concerned over the gold situation because of the effect of the diminishing gold supply upon money supplies on the price of commodities. Every important addition to the world's supply has resulted in a decline in the price of all other commodities because gold is the standard by which the whole civilized world measures prices. But the whole theory of the proper relation of a nation's gold reserve to its currency and credit system, has been steadily undergoing a revision, especially since the world war and the probability is that the time will come when gold will be relatively of less importance in financial and economic affairs than it is today. But that is something for economists and financiers to worry about. The fact remains that the nation having the largest gold reserve has always been the wealthiest and the most independent and that will continue to be the case probably for centuries to come.

Right now, the two wealthiest countries in the world are the United States of America and France, because they are the two countries which have the largest supply of actual gold in the vaults of their treasuries and in the banks. In this country we have more than four billion dollars of gold, which is more than ever was gathered under one flag in the history of the world before, while France has been steadily building up its gold reserve since the war until today that nation has nearly half as much as the United States and in proportion to population is actually wealthier than we are right today.

BANK OF AMERICA WILL RETAIN ALL EMPLOYES

The decision of the newly formed Bank of America to retain all of the employes of its component banks, so that their earning and spending power would remain unimpaired, occasioned the following editorial in the San Francisco News of recent date:

"For all employers there is an exelent example in what the Bank of America is doing.

"This great financial institution, with headquarters in San Francisco, employs more than eight thousand men and women throughout this state. Their salaries and wages total more than $15,000,000 a year.

"And, although the present time is one of great business depression, these employes are being kept on the jobs. Even the recent merger between the Bank of Italy and the Bank of America did not result in a ruthless dismissal of workers. Instead, every effort is made to assure each employe that his or her place was safe.

"The Bank of America, it is stated, feels that now, more than ever, it is important that general earning power should be sustained and that individuals should have the feeling that their incomes are secure.

"The temptation is great to retrench by firing workers, when business is bad, and some employers, of course, have no other choice. But there are many large employers who can well afford to follow the example of the Bank of America. If all of them would, the pinch of hard times would be far less severe and the return of prosperity would be greatly hastened."

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BOOTLEGGER MUST STOP INTERFERING WITH RADIO

The following article from Lassen County is going the rounds of the press: "Susanville, Lassen County, leaped into the lime light last week as the possessor, probably, of the rarest bird in America—a thoroughly unpopular bootlegger.

So soured has the community become that a vigilance committee is threatening to take the matter in hand and has issed warnings through the public press.

Civic indignation is white hot—not because its object is violation of the Constitution but because he is flouting a local ordinance prohibiting radio interference.

The committee has vowed to run him out of business. It will not tolerate a speakeasy that encroaches on its loud speakers. It insists that he tear his whisky-aging machine out by the roots and stop making static for local consumption.

Radio listners complain that they they can hear "Amos 'n Andy" only through a crescendo of hiccoughs engendered by that infernal aging machine. They assert that every tenor who comes to Susanville by the air route is a decided whisky tenor. They object strenuously to dialing for grand opera and getting something that might well be the old quartet in 'S'weet Adeline" with variations.

What they intend to do about it is clearly shown in the following advertisement in a "Notice to Bootleggers" printed in the Lasson Advocate:

"There is one bootlegger in Susanville who is known to this community and who has a whisky aging machine. This machine is a nuisance to radio enthusiasts of Susanville, and unless this bootlegger, who IS KNOWN, removes this machine from Susanville, warrants will be sworn to for his arrest for violation of the prohibition law and for violation of the city ordinance covering radio disturbance."

(Signed)

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CAMPTONVILLE JOTS

The students of the Camptonville branch of the Marysville Union High School held a social afternoon last week with Miss Elsie A. Price, student of the University of California at Berkeley, and a former student in the local schools as the guest of the day. Athletics were enjoyed after which refreshments were served. The following students were chosen to be opposing teams for the coming term: First team, Eleanor Turner, William Groves, Esther Lang, and George Lang; Second team, Gladys Cunningham, Edgar Cunningham, James Joubert, Rose Marie Smart and Ivan Langley.

Selling Christmas trees and fighting forest fires all in the same time seems to go hand in hand with Forest Ranger Frank W. Meggers, of this place, who was called back from Nevada City where he was attending an official meeting to go to a fire near Buhls Ranch near Pike's Peak. It hardly seems possible that a forest fire would burn during this cold and damp period of the year, but the south slopes of the mountain sides are dry enough to burn readily, endangering buildings here and there.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Cleveland, of Sacramento, who spent the past two weeks here left Sunday for the capital city.

Fred J. Joubert motored to Downeyville Saturday evening to attend a lodge meeting.

Mrs. and Mrs. William O. Grant who have resided at the Oak Valley saw mill for the past several years moved to their new home at the Grant and Heether saw mill Saturday.

John F. Lord of this place, who attends junior college at Sacramento had the misfortune of being in an automobile accident a few days ago, but escaped with only a few minor injuries.

Mrs. Raymond Halkyard and infant daughter returned from Nevada City Sunday.

Forest Ranger Frask W. Meggers motoret to Nevada City Thursday on official business.

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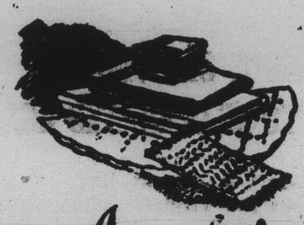

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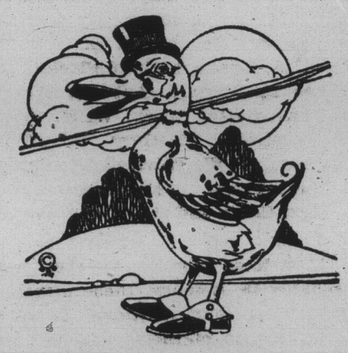

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TRUST OFFICIAL HERE TO DISCUSS CONSOLIDATION

Emmerson W. Read, Trust Supervisor of this District Visits Local Bank

Emerson W. Read, Assistant Vice President and Assistant Trust Officer of Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association, the consolidation of the former Bank of Italy and Bank of America recently effected, visited the local Bank of America branch this week on his Trust Supervisor in this district.

Nevada City is one of the important cities within his district which covers, Sacramento, El Dorado, Yolo, Placer, Nevada and Solano counties. When interviewed Mr. Read discussed the forward movement in trust service contemplated by the Bank and dwelt at length upon the rapid expansion of trust business in communities some distance from the big industrial centers.. He was particularly enthusiastic about the recent meeting of Trust Supervisors of the Bank held in San Francisco on October 8th and 9th, which was addressed by executives of the bank, its Trust officers and trust experts attending the meeting.

Mr. Read stated: "As the trust business of thebank grows rapidly in the country and rural districts of California every effort is made by the bank to keep practices uniform and to keep abreast of conditions, and particularly uniform the system of fees for trust services throughout the state. I wish I could dwell at length on the new fee schedules to shortly placed in operation throughout the entire trust department of our banks. It will be everywhere known as the Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association Trust Department Free Schedule. This fee system is our own, adopted after the most careful study of the needs and requirements of both country and city districts in California, and is the outgrowth of the work of a special committee of experienced trust men, coupled with the comments of the Trust Supervisors of the state. Its fairness to the public is its outstanding feature, and is sufficiently comprehensive to cover all lines of trust department activities. Fairness and the service of the bank to the public were the principal considerations of our bank in the determination and adoption of these trust fees.

"The adoption of this uniform schedule comes at a most opportune time, because of the consolidation of the Bank of Italy National Trust and Savings Association and the Bank of America being effected, with the tremendous added impetuous to trust business growing therefrom.

"The fact that the public are coming more and more to look upon their banks as places for obtaining financial and business advice, trust department men are having thrust upon them more and greater duties, responsibilities and obligations to the public and clients of the bank, and trust men are agreed that this can be assumed and performed entirely entirely in harmony with the conception of lawyers as to trust business and the practice of law.

"Bankers and trust men realize that members of the bar have rights which must be scrupulously respected, both according to statute and age-old ethics of the lawyer's profession, that the bar is valuable to the Trust Company, and that the Trust Company of inestimable value to reputable practitioners of the lay; and that everywhere in our state trust companies should foster and try to strengthen their relations with members of the bar and strive to patronize the reputable law practitioner wherever his prerofatives apply, firm in our bank's belief that trust officers can be of great assistance both to the public and to the Bar in advising in regard to matters pertaining to the estates of individuals, guardianship of estates of children and incompetants, custodianships, individual and partnership trusts, trusts for the operation and management of properties of the aged, the absent traveler, the inexperienced, and others needing services rendered only by competent trust companies, and that the full cooperation furnished by the Bank to the Bar and the public, as in the past should b eand can be continued.

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COLATERAL LOANS ARE LOWEST IN HISTORY

Last Saturday, the New York Stock Exchange reported collateral loans to members at the close of business amounting to a little over two billion dollars or over three hundred million from the total of October and the smallest in the history of the exchange.

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Leave Nevada City	8:10 A. M.,	11:40 A. M.,	3:30 P. M
Leave Grass Valley	8:25 A. M.,	11:55 A. M.,	3:45 P. M.
Arrive Sacramento	11:00 A. M.,	2:40 P. M.,	6:30 P. M
Arrive San Francisco		5:55 P. M.,	11:15 P. M.

EAST BOUND

Leave San Francisco		7:40 A. M.,	11:20 A. M.
Leave Sacramento	8:00 A. M.,	12:15 P. M.,	3:00 P. M.
Arrive Nevada City	11:00 A. M.,	3:15 P. M.	6:00 P. M.
Arrive Gras Valley	10:45 A. M.,	3:00 P. M.,	5:45 P. M.

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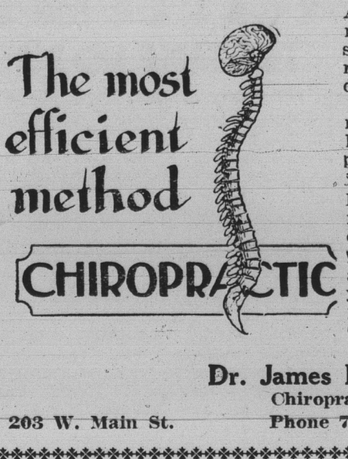

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Marysville Auto Stage leaves at 8.00 a. m., for Rough and Ready, Smartsville, Hammonton and Marysville. Leaves Marysville at 1:00 p. m. Connects at Smartsville for North San Juan.

Downieville Auto Stage leaves Nevada City daily at 1 p. m., ar- Leaves Downieville daily at 6 a. m., arriving in Nevada City in time to connect with 10:30 train for San Francisco.

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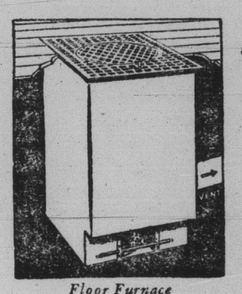
The Floor Furnace is designed to heat 2 to 3 rooms comfortably, even in the coldest weather. No basement is necessary for this furnace.

It draws cold air off the floor, down around the hot outside of the firebox, and circulates the freshly heated air back into the rooms. The warm air does not come in contact with the burning gas because all products of combustion are vented outdoors.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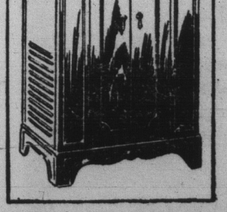
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Mrs. R. Maitland has returned to Nevada City.

Rev. Father Scott of Columbia Hill is visiting friends in San Fran-

Mr. James Coughlin of Columbia Hill was a visitor in Nevada City on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Phelan and Mrs. F Pullen were visitors in Smartsville, Friday.

Mrs. F. Pullen and brother Mike, returned to Gerber Saturday. Mike has gone to hunt geese and expects to bag the limit.

Miss Carmel Phelan of Gras Valley, Mr. and Mrs. H. Costa were visiting their pjarents here on Sunday.

Mr. Buhl and Mr. H. McColough of San Juan were visiting friends here Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hustler and Mr. and Mrs. McAlister of Columbia Hill were visitors in Nevada City monday.

Mrs. Berry and Family and H. Davichi have moved to Grass Valley fir the winter.

James Phelan and wife and Mrs. T. J. Flynn have moved to their home in Nevada City.

The many friends of Mrs. Vizzard were very sorry to hear of her death and we extend our sympathy to the family.

Mr. D. Jamison of the Oaks tree ranch was a business visitor in Nevada City Saturday.

Quail are very scarce in this section and what few are here are very wild.

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NEED PASSWORD TO CALL ROYALTY IN ENGLAND

Royalty makes no secret of its inaccessiblity in Great Britain. The London telephone directory lists all the royal family including the Prince of Wales, Princess Mary and the Duke of York. But this does not mean that any one can call them up and talk shop with them at any old time that they may see fit.

There is a secret pass word which authornzes the branch exchange operators at the royal residence to put callers in direct communication with their majesties and those who do not know the secret password have little or no chance for direct communication. But, then, what of it? Right here in these United States we have practically the same thing, sans the royalty part. Just try to call up one of the Millionaire bankers or the president of some big railroad corporation and see how far you will get. Some second or third secretary will answer you and without you are well known, you simply won't get to first base. He'll tell you that Mr. So and So is not in just at present and you can just call all day and when night comes you won't be any nearer having that interview with his royal nibbs than you were before leaving your home at Squedunk Center for the sole purpose of having that interview.

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SAFETY EXPERTS TO DISCUSS PROBLEMS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5.—Safety measures in railroading and in industry in general will be discussed in San Francisco January 19 when more than 250 safety experts from all parts of the west gather here for the annual Pacific Coast Reginal Meeting of the Safety Section of the American Railway Association, according to announcements today.

J. B. Monahan, supervisor for safety for the Southern Pacific company has been appointed chairman for the meeting by H. A. Rowe, president of the association, according to the announcement.

Plans for the conference will be perfected under his direction.

Safety problems not only vital to railroading, but to all industries will be considered, according to Monahan, and steps taken looking toward their solution.

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THE START OF HYDRAULIC MINING IN CALIFORNIA

Hydraulic mining, which at one time threatened the agricultural and horticultural welfare of this state had its inception in a pecular manner so it is claimed.

One A. Chabot, living at Buckeye Hill, near Nevada, as the city was then called, had forty feet of hose which he used in bringing water to his sluice. After a while it occurred to him that he could turn the water on the gold-bearing dirt and wash it down to the sluice box. He did so. Seeing the effective result of this, a neighbor, E. E. Mattison, attached a nozzle to a hose, and hydraulic mining was born.

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BANDIT BEATS AND ROBS OLD PROSPECTOR

El Dorado County Prospector is Beaten and Robbed by Thugs

The second major robbery in El Dorada county in recent weeks, says a Placerville dispatch, was reported Thursday morning after its victim regained consciousness. Henry Ogden, an old time prospector, over eighty years of age, who has been prospecting in the Greenstone section, was beaten into insensibility and robbed of $90.

This was his report to Homer Good, rural mail carrier who called at his home for the purpose of delivering the old man's mail. Good was the first person with whom the old man had been able to communiecate with with following the attack.

The mail carrier reported the brutal robbery to the sheriff and an invesigation was immediately begun.

Ogden is one of the very few remaining prospectors of this section. He gains a comfortable livlihood old as he is.

The other robbery of note was when three armed men robbed Bert Scott of Shingle Springs of $45 in a highway robbery.

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LIGHT FROZEN, THEN WARMED UP NEXT DAY

A beautiful form of light preserved by freezing it at 312 degrees below zero, was exhibited to the New York Merchant's Association one day last week.

Almost equally amazing was the sight of corn popping between two jars of ice water, its bursting into white caps being due to radio waves that heated the hearts of the pop corn kernels while the air about them was bitter cold.

The light was frozen at Schenectady, N. Y., one day and taken to New York City in a bottle of liquified air the next day. The liquified air was frozen at 312 degrees below zero and thawed out for exhibition by L. A. Hawkins, executive engineer and E. L. Manning, physicist, of the General Electric Company.

At Schenectady the light was produced first by exposing a screen made of various ordinary minerals to the powerful emenations of the recently perfected cathode ray tube.

After such exposure the minerals on the screen glow for some time as if they were red hot although they are, as a matter of fact, stone cold. They sparkle in all collors. The explanation is that the cathode eminations when they srtike the extremely minute particles of the minerals excite them into rapid vibrations. This movement produces light and lasts until the extra vibrations ceases.

That is not very long, but the scientists found if the glowing substance are frozen in a liquid air the vibrations are slowed up to such an extent that the light is extinguished.

Yet the frozen particles retain thtain their extra energy and when warmed up spring back into life and a glowing light is the result.

The jars of water besid the popping corn contained in addition to cubes of ice, a solution which made them electical conductors so that they were really electrodes for short radio wave lengths passing between them and through the corn.

The popping suggested interesting possibilities regarding cooking. Hawkins pointed out that not a charred kernal of the corn was to be seen although the popped corn was hot. The popping required about two minutes. It is possible, he said, to construct a cook stove that would perform all kinds of cooking without a fire or any other modern methods of heating.

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Train leaves Nevada City at 4:00 p. m. Grass Valley at 4:25 p. m. making direct connection with S. P. No. 20, leaving San Francisco at 11 a. m., and 1 p. m., enabling passengers to arrive at Grass Valley 6:45 p. m., and Nevada City at 7:06 p. m.

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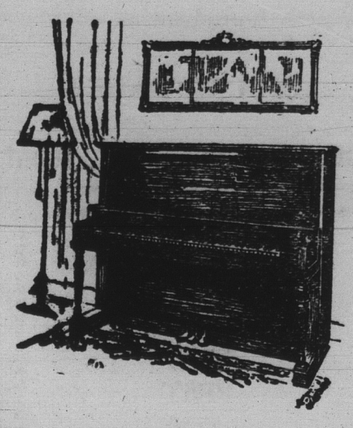

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FIFTY YEARS AGO ITEMS TELL OF GOLD FINDINGS

Interesting items relative to the "golden days" of the west, clipped from The Grizzly Bear, the official publication of Native Sons, published in Los Angeles:

A gold nugget weighing an ounce was found by a lad in a Grass Valley Nevada County, gutter on Christmas Day.

Weske's hydraulic mine at Sucker Flat washed out December 5 a gold nugget worth $1,330 and the following day a second one worth $342.

A gold brick, said to be the second largest ever cast in San Francisco, was exhibited December 18. It was 12¾ inches long, 7inches wide and 4½ inches thick, and contained 3,786 ounces of gold valued at $76,000.

The product was the November clean-up of the Ripples at the Spring Valley hydraulic mine at Cherokee, Butte county.

Sacramento citizens were in trouble, for notwithstanding the Yuba River debris dam had been completed, water pumped from the Sacramento river for Capital City domestic purposes was so loaded with slickens brought down by mountain torrents that it was declared unfit to drink, much less for use in taking the Saturday night bath.

Simeon Commer, a Nevada County ditch tender, was caught in a blizzard December 2 and froze to death. His body was buried in a snow drift and was not found until the 20th.

Bocca, Nevada County, erected a lodge, with an open fire place and a quantity of pine logs, for the accommodation of tramps, who were then warned not to bother the residents of the town.

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W. L. Carter of Downeyville, is reported as recovering from his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Lee Leiter have returned from a visit with relatives in Oakland.

Thomas C. Bigelow of North Columbia was a business visitor in this section yesteday.

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CANADA RANKS THIRD IN GOLD PRODUCTION

Canada, according to statistics, mined more gold in 1929 than in any other year in her history and rose to third place as a producer of the yellow metal.

The output for the year amounted to $39,861,663.

Ontario led in production with $1,622,267 fine ounces, followed by British Columbia. Much of the gold, credited to Ontario, however, came from the new gold fields along the Hudson Bay railroad in the far far north.

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"GOINK DOWN"

Mariposa county, says the Mariposa County Gazette, is being looked upon by the mining men of the nation as the greatest undeveloped gold area in the state of California and perhaps in the United States.

With its hundreds of thousands of acres of mineral area and its past production of gold, it appears to all these practical and experienced men that the past miner in this county has missed it, by not going down.

The day is right near when somebody is "going down" in Mariposa County, and when they do look out for Hornitos, Coulterville, Bear Valley, Red Cloud, Princeton, Whitlock, Mariposa, Colorado and the hundred other mining sections of our county.

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ORE BUYERS' APPLICATION

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RASPBERRIES ARE PICKED IN DECEMBER IN ROSEVILLE

Los Angeles and San Diego may have a world-wide reputation for their climate but they have nothing over the parts of the northern part of California in that respect exept that their climate is advertised all over the world while ours is not.. And speaking of climate the following item from Roseville is a case in sight. The Placer county item is as follows: "Garrie Whyte, picked sufficient raspberries from his vines on his Twin Oaks property to serve his family at breafast Sunday. Whyte is still picking strawberries from his patch.

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CAMP FIRE GIRLS HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

Adaline Giong of Camp Fire Girls held a Christmas party at the Club Rooms Wednesday evening. Each club member was allowed to invite one guest. Games were played and later Santa appeared, giving each one presents; a bag of candy and nuts from the prettily decorated tree. Light refreshments were served.

CANADA HAS PLANS FOR BUILDING ALASKA ROAD

Private Capital Offers to build Across British Columbia for Concession Rights

The wide interest that has been developed in the proposed international highway running from Alaska, on the north to Buenos Aires on the south is indicated from a report from British Columbia which states that private capital has made tentative offers of building the unconstructed portions of the great international highway through British Columbia and the Yukon.

These people have made the government a proposal to expend the sum of $20,000,000 dollars in constructing that section of the great international highway from the present terminal at Hazleton, British Columbia, north across the Yukon territory to Alaska.

While it is stated that no tolls would be imposed on the traveling public on the road, the suggested plans call for the erection of modern hotels and other concessions along the right-of-way, such as gas stations, repair shops and other exclusive operating franchises, all of which would be owned and controlled by the road builders. The plan also includes the stipulation that the new highway from Hazleton to the Alaskan border would revert to the Canadian government after the cost of construction had been recovered.

Though no definite action has been taken, this plan has been discussed and has been formally presented to the government. It is to be considered by Premier Bennett of Canada upon his return to the dominion from London next month.

The editor of the Nugget a couple of years ago, had the pleasure of accompanying a few Seattle newspaper men n a motar trip over this section of the proposed highway, and can say that as far as the party went, which was only to Hazleton, we have never seen a more wonderful and beautiful drive. A country of vast mountains, lakes, rivers and unbelievably wild and beautiful.

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FRENCH CORRAL

FRENCH CORRAL, Dec. 11.—(Special to the Nugget)—Delightful days, and we may add, delightful nights. A little chilly perhaps, but, Ah! This French Corral moonlight How many times we have heard exresidents exclaim, "no moonlight like French Corral moonlight." It certainly carries a charm, and takes us back across the years to the memory of many happy times.

Christmas bells are ringing and yes, the secret is out, wedding bells are ringing, too. For along while we have thought that the regular visits of a Nevada City young man to this section meant more than an interest in French Corral, especially as his interest seemed to be centered all in one house.

A bridal shower was given for Miss Louise Moulton Saturday evening, at her home in French Corral her sister Miss Frances Moulton acting as hostess. On this occasion it was announced that her marriage to Mr. Lloyd Dudley would take place Christmas. Many gifts were showered upon the Bride to be by the thirty friends who were present. Whist was played, after which dainty refreshments were served. A very happy time was enjoyed by all.

Mrs W. E. Moulton's sister, Mrs. F. A. Smith of San Francisco accompanied by her daughter Esther, and her son Carl and wife gave the family a happy surprise by coming Saturday evening. They returned to their home in the city Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hoffman, and son, Cecil of Sacramento were Sunday visitors. All are exresidents and their many friends were happy to see them.

W. E. Moulton made a trip to Sacramento Saturday. His daughter Frances and her friend Miss Ivil Hinshaw returned with him.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Flynn of Nevada City were Sunday visitors.

A. Browning of Nevada City visited his family in French Corral on Sunday.

Miss Millie Clerkin made a trip from Pike City, Sunday, to her home near French Corral. Her brother, W. P. lerkin was here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Culver had business in Pleasant Valley Sunday.

H. Moynier and wife, who recently came from Hood River, visited his sister, Mrs. Browning, during the week.

F. Bean and Clyde Browning made a trip to Mooney's Flat Monday.

J. M. Swazey came over from Nevada City, Monday.

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Gilmore For Director Natural Resources

At the annual meeting of the State Mining Association at Sacramento on December 6th, the name of Charles L. Gilmore was unanimously endorsed as Director of Natural Resources of the State o fCalifornia and Governor Elect Rolph was urged to make the appointment. This was more than a mere gesture of appreciation on the part of tne Association for the untiring eiforts of Mr. Gilmore in their behalf. The Association feels that here is a man ideally fitted for the four-cornered job. Possibly nowhere in California is there a man whose past has been so closely linked with the various phases of the work of the Director of Natural Resources.

Mr. Gilmore was born in Calaveras county in 1883. His family moved to Eldorado county and he was brought up there.

At the early age of 13 it became necessary for him to earn his own living and his first work was in a mine blacksmith shop that year. From then until he was 22 years old he worked in large quartz mines along the Mother Lode wherever the best wages were paid. During these years he became familiar with the work and conditions throughout the entire orea. He also spent one season in one of the large gravel mines.

During certain winter seasons in these early years more money could be earned in the logging camps and, therefore, Mr. Gilmore spent several winter seasons in the woods, where he did everything from buck water to boss of the crew.

Immediately after the San Francisco fire he went to San Francisco and commenced to obtain a belated education. He has studied constantly since that time. In 1908 there was a government examination for timber cruiser in San Francisco which he took, and out of 75 applicants he passed ten higherthanthe second in rank and only four men passed the examination. He then worked as timber cruiser and in the general land office field service until the sprin gof 1911, resigning at that time from position if Chief of Status for the California and Nevada division of the Forest Service.

By 1912 he was so well qualified for the position that he was maue engineer draftsman for the State Fish and Game Commission.. During his four and a half years of employment in this capacity, he was able to map all the streams of the state and placed upon the maps the history of California fish propagation. He also designed many of tl e fish ways now in use throughout the state. When this work was completed in Aug, 1916, he held the title "Chief Engineer for California Fish and Game Commission."

Immediately upon leaving the employ of the Fish and Game Commission, he commenced the practice of the law of government lands as a member of the firm of Gilmore & Gilmore, practicing before the de-Depmt. of the Interior. His office was opened in Sacramento where he has remained ever since.

In 1918 he passed the state bar examination and began to specialize in mining, including oil and gas, and corporation law. From the first of September, 1924, to January 18, 1926, he was also attorney for the State Fish and Game Commission.

Since 1918 Mr. Gilmore's practice has been extended until it reaches into all parts of the state, and his interest in timber, fish and game, mines asd mining in all its forms, has brought him in constant tiuch, peculiar as it may seem, with all the problems which naturally come under the Director of Natural Resources, in whose division falls the Divisions of Fish and Game, Mines and Mining, Oil and Gas, Forestry and Parks.

Forest Ranger Frank W. Meggers returned monday from a business trip to Nevada City.

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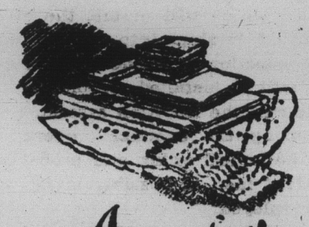

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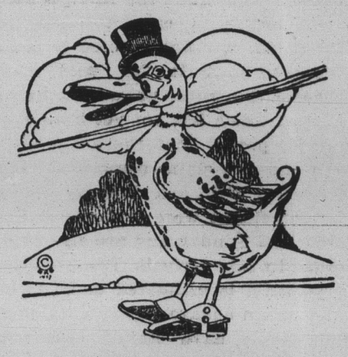

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Two destroyers—the Wood and Henshaw—built during the World War at a cost of one million dollars each, have just been sold at Mare Island for $5,500 each.

Dates for the Oakdale Almond Blossom Festival have been set for February 28—March 1. The fesival will be included in the 1931 state fiesta program.

Police court fines in Antioch last month totaled $999.50 according to Judge John J. Brennan. The sum was made up largely out of the three-year city street cleaning contract to the firm of W. M. and L. E. Head, pending approval o tfhe city council. With the cintract the firm sold its street cleaning equipment but will continue its trucking and draying business.

Fire recently destroyed the old crushing plant of the Horey mine, ten miles north of Redding. Fighters prevented the flames from spreading.

The California state traffic control will ipen their new offices in Eureka according to announcement made by Inspector Fred Bly. The old headquarters were formerly in the old county court house.

A Drinker respirator will be purchased and installed in the Humboldt County Hospital at Eureka within the next few weeks. Fort Humboldt post of the American Legion is spossoring the purchase.

Dedication of Antioch's new $137,000 high school will be directed by the local parlor of Native Sons, according to R. S. Phelps, district superintendent of schools. The school is expected to be completed before the start of the spring term next year.

The Feather River gateway bridge across the Feather river four and one-half miles northeast of Oroville was dedicated recently with officials and civic organizations participating. Th ededication was the outstanding event of the Californians' 43rd annual orange and olive exposition and formally opened a section of the Feather Rivr Highway being constructed seventy-five miles north to Quincy as a part of the transcontinental system.

Jay Bruce, state lion hunter, has killed three lions in Amador county within a short period. He killed a yearling male weighing 90 pounds, a female weighing 100 pounds and a female kitten weighing 70 pounds.

Announcement of the sale of the Hotel Lindsay by W. F .Rrau to F. Richer of Calistoga, was made recently. The hotel brought $80,000. It is a three story building with 50 room sand barber shop and lunch room on the ground floor. Richter plans to put up a new front on the building and spend at least $10,000 in remodeling.

The Contra Costa and the Solano train ferries will not be converted into pleasure crafts or aquatic sports headquarters, the Southern Pacific company advised the Martinez Chamber of Commerce. Both ferries will be kept in their slips at Port Costa until January 1 and thn dismantled and offered for sale.

Stockton will oppose application of the Linden irrigation district to divert water from the Calveras river. A protest was filed with the state division of water resources. The district seeks to divert 40,000 acre feet from the river. Negotiations are under way for a friendly agreement for disposing of the water to Stocktin, the Linden District and Mormon channel property iwners.

In line with the state program of safety education. Eugene W. Biscailuz, highway patrol superintendent ordered his officers to strictly enforce regulations which decree that motorists must keep to the right. Drivng close to the ceter of the road has bee largely responsible for most of California's mounting traffic toll, he declares.

Work on the last link of the Yosemite Valley-Mariposa Big Trees highway will begin in a few days, it was announced by A. C. Goering of Seattle, who has contracted to build the road. Superintendent C. G. Thomas recently announced the establishment of the road camp near Bridal Veil Falls, and employment of a large crew of men to begin the 700 days if work required ti finish the $627,000 project. Work will start three miles up the Wawona road and if sufficient headway is made on the tunnel before storms set in, it will be possible to continue the tunnel all winter. Permanent employment will thus be provided for some one hundred expert rock men.

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Arrive San Francisco		5:55 P. M.,	11:15 P. M.
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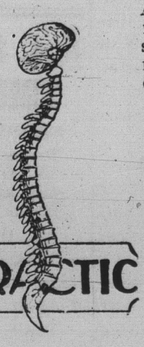

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Alleghany Stage leaves Nevada City daily, except Sunday at 1:00 p. m., for Tyler, Columbia Hill, Alleghany and Forest. Leaves Forest at 6:30 a. m., for Nevada City.

Marysville Auto Stage leaves at 8.00 a. m., for Rough and Ready. Smartsville, Hammonton and Marysville. Leaves Marysville at 1:00 p. m. Connects at Smartsville for North San Juan.

Downieville Auto Stage leaves Nevada City daily at 1 p. m., ar- Leaves Downieville daily at 6 a. m., arriving in Nevada City in time to connect with 10:30 train for San Francisco.

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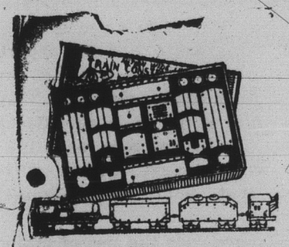

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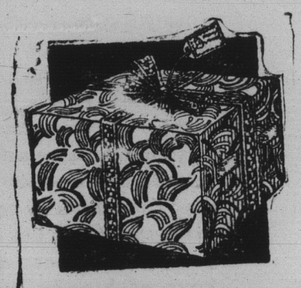

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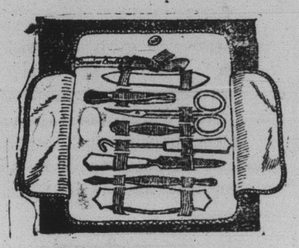

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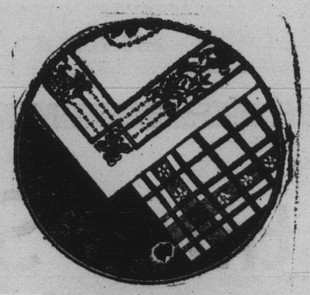

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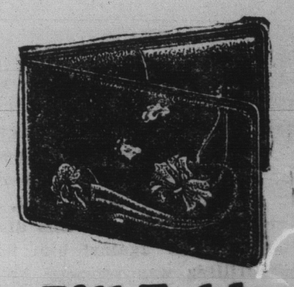
16-inch case, fancy rayon lining, two side pockets. Two brass locks. Well-constructed.



Bill Folds

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Fountain Pen and Pencil Set

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Men's Felt Hylo Slippers

Oxford or brown; plaid fel collar; cushion sole.

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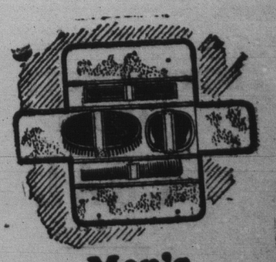

Men's Traveling Set

98c

Contains hair brush, soap box and tooth brush holder. Leatherette case

FOUR MILLION IN GOLD SAUGHT IN AUKLANDS

Will Try to Recover the Gold that Went Down in General Grantin in 1866

A million English pounds in gold, (about five million dollars in American money) is the prize sought by C. R. Askerley, a young engineer, who will lead an expedition to the Aukland Islands, sometime next month.

This great treasure is believed to be in the cargo of the wrecked old sailing ship, the General Grant, which was dashed to pieces against the cliffs of the barren island some 64 yeare ago. The General Grant was bound from Melbourn, Australia to London, England laden mainly with gold bullion from the rich placer gold fields of Australia in the halcion days of the Australian gold boom.. There is known to be at least ten thousand pounds on board of the ill fated vessel when she went down but this is considered a minor prize, and what Ackerly is seeking is some nine tons of "spelter" that is supposed to be in the ship's hold. This "spelter", Ackerley is convinced by his researches, is gold, shipped under a false description, a not uncommon practice in those days. There are so many indications that the cargo of the General Grant was more valuable than was reported, that a Melbourn firm, which holds from the New Zealand government all rights of salvage in New Zealand waters, has aided Ackerley to fit out his expedition.

Fire, in Melbourn, years ago destroyed all records of the cargo of the ill-fated General Grant but historical data and old records goes to show that she was far more valuable than reported.

Many earlier and most desperate efforts have been made to salvage this great treasure, but all in vain. Previous efforts, as a matter of necessity, were made with old, out of date apparatus and were all failures.

The remains of the old sailing vessel lie between two towering walls of rock some six hundred feet high and in a cave lying between the two walls. Ackerley will use the most modern machinery in his work and proposes to make use of specially designed cables and winches as well as complete deap sea diving apparatus. Furthermore instead of working from the sea, he will set up his plant on the land and work entirely from the land side of the old wreck, something no one has ever before attempted. It is generally conceded that he has a fair chance of success.

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JACK KITTO'S TRIP TO BUTTE WILL BE FINANCED BY PARD.

John (Jack) Kitto, world champion hand driller (single jack) since 1898 when the title and gold medal was awarded him in contests at the San Francisco Golden Jubilee of that year, is now an inmate of the Santa Clara County hospital.

Kitto, formerly a Cornish miner, of mightly exploits, not only at drilling hard rock but at wrestling and other sports is now 64 years old and in enfeebled health. His world drilling record of 43-11-16 inches in fifteen minutes made at the Mechanics' Pavillion contests in connection with the golden jubilee has never been exceeded or approached. Several resident miners of this district drilled with or against him before hand drilling was replaced by machine drilling.

Next Memorial Day, Kitto is to be the guest of honor at the City of Butte, Montana at which time a monument is to be unveiled in memory of the stalwart miners of the days of long ago. The project which has been under way for several years is now nearing completion and as many of the surviving will be assembled for the ceremonies.

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PREPARATIONS FOR WAR STEADILY INCREASING

There is no longer any question but what practically every country in the world outside of the United States is gradually and increasingly and not particularly secretly, making preparations for war at no distant date, states Lord Hardell, an acknowledged authority on such affairs. During the eleven years the League of Nations has talked about disarmament but has utterly failed to achieve it in any respct. Preparations for another war have progressed at a rapid pace.

"The world is heavily armed today, with expenditures for military purposes running into the billions and are increasing steadily and rapidly but chiefly in Europe. About the only nation in the world today who are not actually preparing for war on a vast scale is the United States of America. The race among the nations of Europe to see who will be the best prepared for a mighty struggle shows no signs of abating

Based on figures before the preparatory disamament commission in session here, total annual military budgets in the world reach the staggering sum of four billion, three-hundred million dollars. Three countries France, England and Italy constitute about one-third of this.

Cold figures in voluminous League documents, which grow thicker and more voluminous every day, reveal the unprecendented military activity among European nations.

Aggregate annual exports and imports of arms and ammunitions are much higher now than they were seven or eight years ago. Great Britain with 34 per cent leads the world in arms expart. China, with 16.3 per cent, imported the most arms and munitions.

France tops the list of major powers in the perctntage of increase in its military and naval expenditures since 1926. Great Britain and Italy report slight reductions. Nations, whose military budgets have been vastly increased include Japan, Soviet Russia, Rumania, Belgium, Germany, Jugoslavia and Czechoslavia.

France is making no secret of her war preparations. The Premier of France recently boasted that no French government had done more than his for the defense of their frontiers.

France, wants to subdue Germany; Italy wants to grab off French territory in the south; the Soviet of Russia have visions of conquoring the rest of the world and Japan is greatly strengthening her military arm with the expectation of having to repel the Red hoards of China before very long.

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Bert B. Meek, director of the department of public works, asnounced a pick and shovel crew of 150 men would be put to work on the read between Smartville and Rough and Ready. No camp will be established, the men working out of the towns.

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ORE BUYERS' APPLICATION

In compliance with Section 2, Chapter 70, Statutes of 1925, approved April 15, 1925, Amended 1927, 1929, the undersigned, whose principal place of business is at Nevada City, Nevada County, California, hereby gives notice that application has been made to the State Mineralogist for a license to carry on, within the State of California for year ending December 31, 1931 the business of milling, sampling, concentrating, reducing, refining, purchasing and receiving for sale ores, concentrates and amalgum bearing gold or silver, gold dust, gold and silver bullion, nuggets and specimens

Protest may be made by any person to the issuing of such license at the office of the State Mineralogist, Ferry Building, San Francisco.

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N. C. N. G. R. R. COMPANY TIME TABLE AND RATES

Effective Sunday, Sept. 8, 1929

Trains leave Nevada City at 5:00 a. m., Grass Valley 5:20 a. m., arriving at San Francisco 1:30 p. m.

Train leaves Nevada City at 11:15 a. m., Grass Valley at 11:40 a .m. making direct connection with S. P. train No. 19, arriving at San Francisco at 6:10 p. m.

Train leaves Nevada City at 4:00 p. m. Grass Valley at 4:25 p. m. making direct connection with S. P. No. 20, leaving San Francisco at 11 a. m., and 1 p. m., enabling passengers to arrive at Grass Valley 6:45 p. m., and Nevada City at 7:06 p. m.

SUMMER RATES
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Grass Valley to San Francisco—16 days $8.50; 3 months $10.25; Nevada City $9.00 and $10.50.

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Grass Valley to Los Angeles via Stockton, both ways—16 days, $26.25; 3 months, $31.75; Nevada City $26.50 and $31.50.

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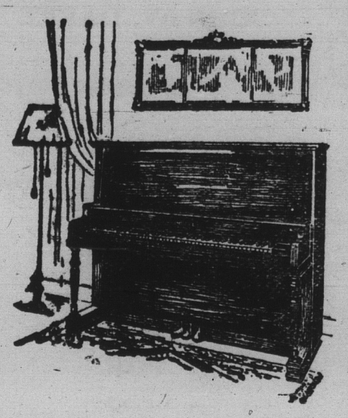

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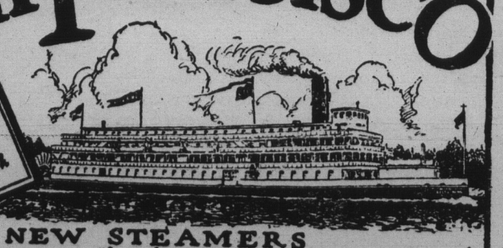

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FRENCH CORREL NEWS

Fine weather again after the good rain of Friday night. French Corral is showing many grain fields where early plowing has been done.

G. Hichols and H. Stephen of Hicholans valley are busy preparing for winter mining.

F. T. Lislyard, representing the Italian National Building and Loan Association of Grass Valley visited this section last Monday.

Mrs. A. Knubane of Bridgeport re- visited friends in French Corral Monday.

J. Swazey came from Nevada City to spend a few days in French Corral.

Miss Louise Moulton came down from Washington where she teaches school, Friday evening to spend the week's end with her parents in French Corral.

A. Browning and his mother Mrs. Annie Browning of Nevada City,, visited his family in this place Friday. Mr. Browning returned to Nevada City Friday night. His mother remained here for a short visit.

J. Swazey returned to Nevada City Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moulton made a business trip to Sacramento Saturday.

F. Bean and R. Hardenbrook were Grass Valley visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Orr of Hood, visited Mrs. Orr's father, J. R. Haslett, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Culver visited in Grass Valley Saturday.

Mr .and Mrs. Firpin of Grass Valley, were Sunday visitors in French Corral.

Mr. and Mrs. Grissel and son and daughter, of Yuba City, visited their friend Mrs. De Prate, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moulton made a trip to Sacramento Sunday evening and their daughter Frances returned to that place with them.

Mrs. J. Kirkwood visited friends in San Juan Sunday.

H. Flynn of Calgate, called on friends in French Corral Monday.

J. Minogan and F. Bean had business in Nevada City and Grass Valley, Monday.

There was no school in French Corral today, on account of the illness if our teacher, Mrs. Elsie Schwarz.

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Beautiful Fancy Boxes, Cedar Chests
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Assorted Nuts -- Cocktails

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CAMPTONVILLE JOTS

Albert Garcia of Nevada City was in town Saturday on a brief business visit.

Ray Knickrem motored to Marysville Saturday on a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McNaught of Sleighville House were business visitors at Nevada City Saturday.

Mrs. Lester M. Jaynes of Downeyville spent the week-end here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Kate Hope Livingston, local high school teacher, left Saturday for Berkeley and San Diego, where she will spend the winter months.

Peter Peterson who spent the summer at the Grant and Heether Saw Mill, returned home Saturday.

Fred J. Jubert, James L. Joubert and Andrew Picoli if Oak Valley, motored to Nevada City Saturday on a brief business visit.

Miss Dirithy Dyke, of Grass Valley spent Sunday here visiting her friends.

Mr .and Mrs. Joseph Lavezzola and daughter and Evan W. Thomas of Downieville, passed through town Sunday enroute to North San Juan.

The last large load of 500 Christmas trees belonging to Adams left for Los Angeles yesterday.

Edward Z. Bowen and Charles C. Donnelly were in town Monday from the True Grit Mine.

County Surveyor Jason R. Meek and grandson William Meek, of Marysville were in town Monday on official business.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius E. Pauly motored to Marysville Monday on a business visit, returning Tuesday.

Charles C. Skewes of Nevada City was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Sheriff George C. Bynon of Downieville was in tows on a sho trvisit Tuesday.

Edwin Godfrey and Sister Aileen Godfrey of Pike City passed through town Monday enroute the lower country.

Fred J. Joubert motored to Nevada City Tuesday on a short business visit.

Mrs. Acton M. Cleveland and her daughters Geraldine and Earlyne went to North San Juan Tuesday to visit relatives for the day.

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FOR SISTER

Sister can have Beads, Bags, Fitted Over-night Bags, Beautiful Sachet in Handkerchief Cases, Powder Puffs, Compacts in a wonderful selection. It will be well worth your time to see the fine line of Purses and handbags we are showing. We ask you to shop early on these lines.

FOR SWEETHEART

Well, Sweetheart Needs Most Anything—Come in today and let us show you!

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SHIRTS THAT WILL APPEAL TO MOST ANY MAN

See Our Line of Real Shirts

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Comforters all filled with white cotton, priced at $2.95, $3.75, $4.75, $5.75. One of the big things in our line is Rayon and Silk Covered Quilts, filled with pure wool, extra special $6.75. See them.

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Silk Bath Robes from $4.95 up.

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Men's Sweaters, pull-on or coat, priced at $2.95 up.

Men's Dress Shirts—all new styles and colors, priced at $1,95 up to silk at $5.75.

Buy Men's Ties at this store—we have a wonderful line priced at $1.00.

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FOR FATHER

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

A and B Basketball Teams to Wheatland

Friday night the Nevada City A and B basketball teams wil travel to Wheatland where they will meet like teams from that place. Both teams will travel by bus.

Saturday they will meet the A and B teams of Elk Grove at Armory Hall.

The boys have been in training for the past week and will show that they are a little better than their rivals.

Essay by English Classes

The English classes of the Nevada City High School are busily engaged in writing essays on the topic "Keeping Fit."

This topic was chosen by Miss Gray, supervisor of English in the High School The best essays will be entered in the national contest.

The essay is to contain from 500 to 1200 words.

Debate in English II

Tuesday morning the English II class held a debate during the class period. The subject chosen was "Environment vs. Heredity.

Affirmative: Frank Costi, Max Ghiddotti, Ida Carey, Phillis Anderson.

Negative: Ruth Rector, Phillis Horn, Catherine Celio, Buz Chapman

The judges were Hudson Gray, a junior and Carl Hieronimous, Vernon Sanders, seniors.

The affirmative win 7 to 2. Tne participants showed considerable nerve and preparation. The next debate in this group will be on the respective merits of the pen and the sword.

Seniors Give Freshmen Christmas Evening

Friday is the last day of school until the fifth of January, so the Seniors under the direction of H. E. Kjorlie will give the Freshmen the best party they have had in their school career.

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BLACK GOLD COMPANY STEADY GOLD PRODUCER

The Black Gold placers, owned and operated by Hawaiian capitalists located in Placer county, and who re-recently installed a complete new equipment, are now producing gold-bearing gravel in values averaging approximately $15 to the mining car and this has been going in steadily since the installation of their new machinery according to the Placer Republican. James Christenson manager of the property for the new owners is authority for these facts.

He stated that a crew of ten men were working on th eproperty and this number would not be decreased before spring, but on the contrary as soon as spring came this number would be materially increased. It is possible, under favorable conditions, with increase in values or additional strikes of gravel in which work is now progressing that he present force will be increased..

Incrase in equipment and installation of apparatus, the manager reported, include development of a new and adequate water supply by the sinking if a deep well, installation of a new amalgamator bringing recovery up to practically one hundred per cent and refinement in the machinery and general equipment.

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FISHERS LEAVE FOR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. F. Fisher of Portland ,Oregon, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nye of Nevada City left Wednesday for Southern California to spend the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher have both been ill and they have improved to such an extent that they plan to return here in the spring.

Fisher is an ex-Standford football captain, leading the team in 1900. He was associated with President Hoover at Stanford, Mr. Hoover being treasurer of the student body during Fisher's footbal days, and in this way they becam acquainted.

HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Six year old Betty Foote, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Foote was six years old last Saturday and in honor of the event entertained a number of her little friends at a delightful birthday party. The afternoon was spent in playing games and prizes were won by Bobbie Hocking, Marjorie Shorten, Elsie Schrieber and Everett Angove.

When the games were over the children sat around a table gaily decorated in a Christmas scheme. In the center was a minature Christmas tree lit up with red and green lights, the tree holding a favor for each of the children. A birthday cake with six candles was also a feature.

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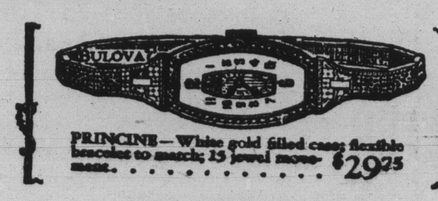

PRINCINE—White gold filled case; flexible bracelet to match; 15 jewel movement $29.25

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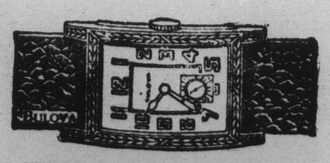

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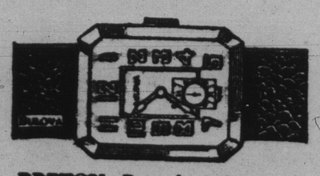

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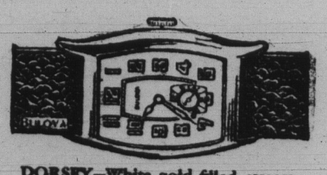
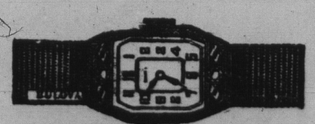


DORSEY—White gold filled streamline case. Radium dial; 17 jewel movement $50.00



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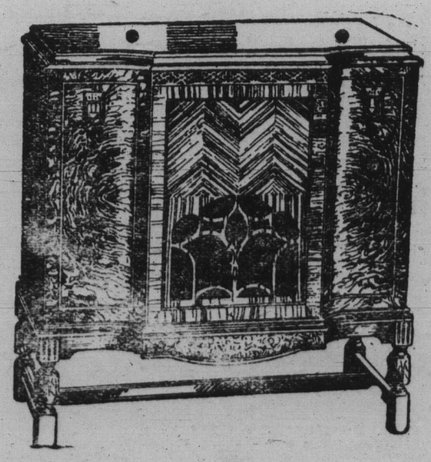

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